## STATE OF MICHIGAN BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION NOTICE OF HEARING FOR THE GAS CUSTOMERS OF PRESQUE ISLE ELECTRIC & GAS CO-OP CASE NO. U-18259

- Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op is requesting from the Michigan Public Service Commission a TIER Ratemaking mechanism review for the twelve-month period ended December 31, 2016 for its Regulated Gas Division.
- The information below describes how a person may participate in this case.
- You may call or write Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op, 19831 M-68 Highway, P.O. Box 308, Onaway, Michigan 49765, (800) 423-6634, for a free copy of its application. Any person may review the application at the office of Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-op.
- A public hearing will be held:

DATE/TIME: Thursday, June 15, 2017, at 9:30 a.m.

This hearing will be a prehearing conference to set future

hearing dates and decide other procedural matters.

**BEFORE:** Administrative Law Judge **Mark E. Cummins** 

**LOCATION:** Michigan Public Service Commission

7109 West Saginaw Highway

Lansing, Michigan

**PARTICIPATION:** Any interested person may attend and participate. The

hearing site is accessible, including handicapped parking. Persons needing any accommodation to participate

should contact the Commission's Executive Secretary at (517) 284-8090 in advance to request mobility, visual,

hearing or other assistance.

The Michigan Public Service Commission (Commission) will hold a public hearing to consider Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op's (Presque Isle) April 10, 2017 application for Commission's 1) acceptance of Presque Isle's report relative to its TIER Ratemaking Mechanism for the twelve-month period ended December 31, 2016; 2) approval of the proposed revenue/rate requirement increase as proposed to account for the adjusted TIER deficiency; 3) approval of the requested Regulated Cost Monthly Charge Adder for a 12 month period; and 4) further relief.

All documents filed in this case shall be submitted electronically through the Commission's E-Dockets website at: <a href="michigan.gov/mpscedockets">michigan.gov/mpscedockets</a>. Requirements and instructions for filing can be found in the User Manual on the E-Dockets help page. Documents may also be submitted, in Word or PDF format, as an attachment to an email sent to:

<a href="mailto:mpscedockets@michigan.gov">mpscedockets@michigan.gov</a>. If you require assistance prior to e-filing, contact Commission staff at (517) 284-8090 or by email at:

<a href="mailto:mpscedockets@michigan.gov">mpscedockets@michigan.gov</a>.

Any person wishing to intervene and become a party to the cases shall electronically file a petition to intervene with this Commission by June 8, 2017. (Interested persons may elect to file using the traditional paper format.) The proof of service shall indicate service upon Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-op's attorney, Richard Aaron, Dykema Gossett PLLC, Capitol View, 201 Townsend Street, Suite 900, Lansing, Michigan 48933.

Any person wishing to appear at the hearing to make a statement of position without becoming a party to the case may participate by filing an appearance. To file an appearance, the individual must attend the hearing and advise the presiding administrative law judge of his or her wish to make a statement of position. All information submitted to the Commission in this matter becomes public information, thus available on the Michigan Public Service Commission's website, and subject to disclosure. Please do not include information you wish to remain private.

Requests for adjournment must be made pursuant to the Michigan Administrative Hearing System's Administrative Hearing Rules R 792.10422 and R 792.10432. Requests for further information on adjournment should be directed to (517) 284-8130.

A copy of the Presque Isle's request may be reviewed on the Commission's website at: michigan.gov/mpscedockets, and at the office of Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op. For more information on how to participate in a case, you may contact the Commission at the above address or by telephone at (517) 284-8090.

Jurisdiction is pursuant to 1909 PA 300, as amended, MCL 462.2 et seq.; 1919 PA 419, as amended, MCL 460.54 et seq.; 1939 PA 3, as amended, MCL 460.1 et seq.; 1969 PA 306, as amended, MCL 24.201 et seq.; and the Michigan Administrative Hearing System's Administrative Hearing Rules, 2015 AC, R 792.10401 et seq.

April 14, 2017



RICK SNYDER GOVERNOR

## STATE OF MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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April 14, 2017 Case No. U-18259

Mr. Richard J. Aaron Dykema Gossett PLLC Capitol View 201 Townsend Street, Suite 900 Lansing, Michigan 48933

Dear Mr. Aaron:

Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op shall mail, by June 1, 2017, a copy of the enclosed notice of hearing to all cities, incorporated villages, townships and counties in its Michigan gas service area, and to intervenors in Cases Numbers U-15774, U-15775, and U-15776. Proof of service shall be filed by the prehearing conference on June 15, 2017.

Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op shall cause the enclosed notice of hearing to be published, by June 1, 2017, in newspapers of general circulation in its gas service area or published and mailed to its member-customers in Country Lines. If newspapers of general circulation are used, the publication shall occur in each county in which Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op provides gas service. Publishing requirements and a copy of the publishing format are enclosed. Affidavits of publication shall be filed by the prehearing conference on June 15, 2017.

Presque Isle Electric & Gas Co-Op shall, by June 15, 2017, serve upon each person who has petitioned to intervene a copy of the written direct testimony of its proposed witnesses and the proposed exhibits as filed with the Commission. Proof of service shall be filed with the Commission by June 22, 2017.

Kavita Kale
<b>Executive Secretary</b>

**Enclosures** 

Sincerely,